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Officers Are Re-elected

Annual Reports Heard At Red Cross Meeting

EDMONTON REPORT

By Donald F. Smith
Special Correspondent

EDMONTON—Is Alberta moving into socialized medicine?

That, according to some reports, is the question many medical men in the province are asking as indications grow that the provincial government plans to extend its health program at the next legislative session opening Feb. 17.

Published reports, apparently leaked by medical officials, call the plan a health insurance scheme and indicate it would be linked with Medical Services Incorporated, which was formed by the medical men of the province a few years ago. The details of the scheme, if it is to be put into operation through the forthcoming session, probably will not be known until the legislation is introduced to the house.

According to available information, the province would pay one-third of the costs. This, of course, brings up the question, "Who is to pay the remainder?"

Will it work in a similar manner to the present hospitalization and extra services plans in which the municipalities participate and the taxpayer feels it through his taxes? To what extent will it touch the pocketbooks of the citizens. Will it be compulsory or will it be compulsory only to ratepayers and optional to non-ratepayers as are the currently operating schemes?

When health insurance schemes are discussed, thoughts of most people turn to British Columbia, where considerable controversy and difficulty arose over the institution of compulsory health insurance. One of the results was the imposing of a five per cent provincial sales tax on goods at the retail level.

It seems hardly likely the Alberta government would draw up a health scheme which would require levying a sales tax, because if a scheme could not be financed from the already large revenue the government is getting it probably would not be a very sound scheme.

The present schemes operate on a 50-50 basis between the province and the municipalities which adopt the plans on behalf of their ratepayers. The municipalities raise their share through taxation. Persons who do not pay taxes are eligible on payment of stipulated annual rates.

The schemes give hospitalization in standard wards at a charge of \$1 a day to the patient and extra services, barring some drugs, at an additional \$1 a day.

In a submission to the provincial cabinet last week, the Associated Hospitals of Alberta, representing the province's 93 general hospitals, asked for the establishment of a commission to study all government hospitalization schemes with a view to simplification. It said: "The acceptance of the extra services plan has been disappointing. The study (by the association) indicates only 23.15 per cent of the total hospital days in the province come under the plan."

The group indicated it would favor one plan, embracing the two aspects of services.

Th hospitals also complained the rates accepted by the government as standard ward rates for the payment of the provincial share of the hospitalization scheme were "not realistic and should be increased to meet actual costs. They want an all-inclusive rate for ward and extra services and feel a rate of \$3 per day should be recognized for newborn babies; which now are included under the maternity rate paid by the government."

The annual meeting of the Vulcan Branch of the Red Cross was held in the work room of the Legion Hall on Feb. 2nd with eight members present.

Mrs. Wm. Hill in the work room report stated that 8,293 wipes and 153 pieces of sewing and knitting had been sent in from Vulcan to headquarters in the past year.

Mrs. Saxby reported the sum of \$451 in the bank.

Mrs. A. Fitzpatrick reported receiving a book "Detour" from the Calgary Branch. This book was written by various service men who were prisoners of war. Mrs. C. Rea moved it be given to the local library from the Red Cross, seconded by Mrs. Collier.

Mrs. Fitzpatrick reported that the Good Deeds Institute would cater at the next Blood Clinic.

Due to the poor attendance the officers from last year agreed to stand for another year.

They are: Honorary Pres. Mrs. E. King; President, Mrs. A. Fitzpatrick; 1st Vice Pres., Mrs. G. C. Collier; 2nd Vice Pres., Mrs. Rev. Fulton; 3rd Vice Pres., Mrs. R. Banks; Secretary, Mrs. C. McArthur; Treasurer, Mrs. A. G. Saxby; Social, Mrs. J. Mitchell; Dietician, Mrs. H. La Roche; Publicity, Mrs. C. Rea; Swimming and Water Safety, M. D. McIntyre; Finance Committee Member, D. S. Paris; Blood Donor Clinic, Mrs. C. Rea; Work Room, Mrs. Wm. Hill; Crippled Children, Mrs. C. Andrews.

RCMP Booklet Gives Tips On Crime Prevention

Const. Bob Heembrock, RCMP, has left with the Advocate a copy of a 20-page booklet entitled "Crime in Your Community", which will soon be distributed to business firms throughout the province.

The booklet marks the first step of a campaign to make the public aware of what it can do to help prevent crimes such as housebreaking and petty thefts.

The booklet outlines "do's and don'ts" for security in the office, store and home. Do not make things easy for the criminal, is the theme.

Here are some of the points stressed:

Do not leave your office or home unlocked when unoccupied.

Make sure your safe is trustworthy.

Don't carry large sums of cash on your person.

Check the security of your premises before leaving at night.

Install a burglar alarm where practical.

Vary the route and time of journeys to the bank and send an escort.

Homeowners are advised to make sure all windows and doors are securely locked on going out and leave two or three lights burning; while asleep leave a light on over the garage doors; be sure to stop milk and paper deliveries before going on a holiday. If they accumulate your absence is advertised; notify the police so they can check your home on patrol.

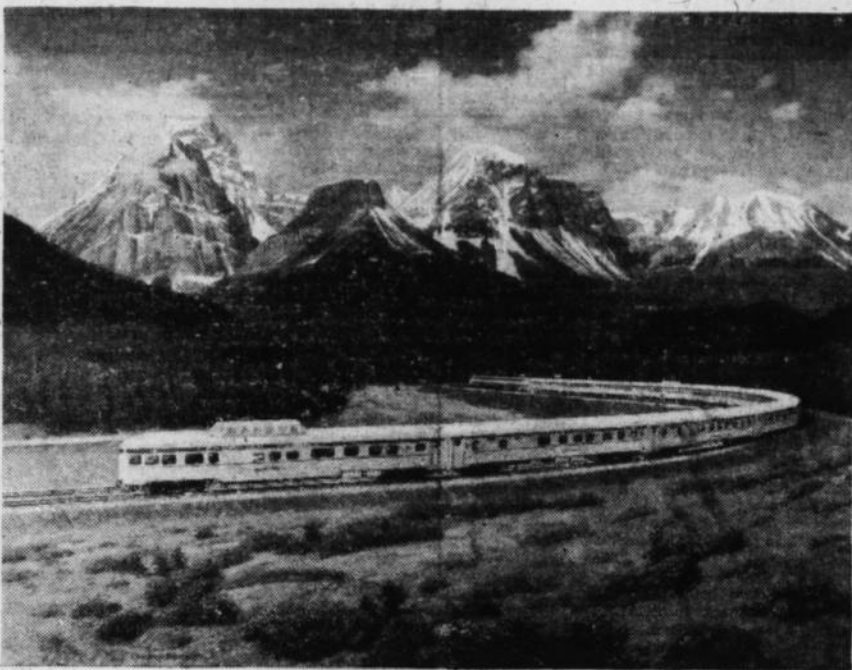
The booklet also tells how to detect counterfeit coins and bills and points out: "Good money looks good—bad money looks bad."

In connection with office security, warnings are given against leaving money in unlocked cash boxes and drawers. Toilets, store rooms and the like should be checked for intruders at closing time.

Keep careful records of office appliances, the booklet advises, and check identities before cashing cheques. The booklet also adds that frequent checking or stock-taking reduces temptation on the part of employees.

GRAIN FREIGHT RATES
To bring freight rates on grain up to parity with other rates, would cost 44¢ to move a bushel of export wheat from Calgary to the Pacific Coast and 75¢ to Fort William. Such rates says the Alberta Wheat Pool, would put the majority of western grain growers out of business.

"You've been a stenographer for most of the big men in this office building, haven't you?"
"Yes, in on my last lap now."



"THE CANADIAN" CUTS TIME: Equipment such as this, powered by diesel locomotives, will enable the Canadian Pacific Railway's new streamliner "The Canadian" to slice 16 hours from the present Westward transcontinental schedule when the all stainless steel train goes into service April 24.

The new train will travel the 2,881 miles from Montreal to Vancouver in 71 hours and 10 minutes, and the 2,704 miles from Toronto to Vancouver in 67 hours, 55 minutes, reducing the trip a full night in each direction. The latest in accommodation, includes de luxe coaches, a skyline coffee shop

dome coach in which meals or snacks can be obtained at popular prices; a modern electrically-kitchened dining car, new "Manor" and "Chateau" sleeping cars, and the newest thing on Canadian rails—scenic-dome lounge-observation sleeping cars.

Supper and Dance

Annual Vulcan Reunion To Be Held in Calgary Feb. 28

An event that is greatly looked forward to each year—the annual Vulcan Reunion—will be held this year at the Al-San Club in Calgary on Monday evening, Feb. 28.

At this annual affair, ex-residents of Vulcan particularly those now residing in Calgary, have an opportunity to renew friendships of former years; to recall the old days and to discuss happenings of mutual interest.

All ex-residents of Vulcan and district, no matter where they now reside, and all interested present residents of Vulcan are invited to attend. Mrs. Bertha Leverington is head of the committee in charge of making arrangements this year and a friendly welcome and good time is assured all those who attend.

The re-union will take form of a turkey dinner, starting at 6:30 p.m., followed by a dance with a four-piece orchestra furnishing the music. The Al-San Club is located at 503, 3rd Street West in Calgary. Tickets are \$2.50 per person and are available in Vulcan at the Margaret Hansen Beauty Parlor, or from Mrs. Leverington or members of her committee in Calgary.

Two-day Hockey Tournament Planned, Feb. 19-20

In Foothills Hockey League play during the past week, the Vulcan Legionnaires dropped two more games to be almost eliminated from the playoffs. Only a mathematical chance of making the playoffs remains and this requires the local pucksters to win both of their remaining games, one of which is against the league-leading Nanton Palominos.

Friday night the Claresholm Clippers edged the Legionnaires 9 to 8, while on Sunday the local crew journeyed to Macleod to take the count 8 to 5.

Following Sunday's game, president John Hunter announced that plans are under way for a six-team hockey tournament to be held in Vulcan Friday and Saturday evening, 19-20. Invitations have been set out to other teams and \$100.00 will be offered as cash prize.

Harold Fox, team manager, announced that Shaughnessy Cadillacs, leaders in the Lethbridge commercial league, will be in Vulcan Sunday, Feb. 13 for an exhibition game with the Legionnaires. Game time is 2:30 p.m.

THE WEATHER

Long-delayed winter weather finally struck Southern Alberta

this week, with the first real snowstorm of the season depositing about five inches of the white stuff on the ground Monday night, and another inch Tuesday night. Wednesday's temperature was about ten above.

Mrs. Margaret Craig Dies At Age of 90

Born near Ottawa, Ontario in 1864 Mrs. Margaret Jean Craig was laid to rest from the Martin Funeral Home in Lethbridge Wednesday afternoon, February 9. Services were in charge of Rev. J. M. Watts of the Pentecostal Tabernacle in Calgary.

Mrs. Craig suffered a broken hip just six days before she passed away in the Vulcan Hospital on Saturday evening, January 29th. The mishap occurred when she was stepping out of a car at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bud Schneider, with whom she resided for the past three years. She was taken immediately to the hospital and did not regain consciousness until her passing.

Up until the time of the accident she was very active for her age. During the Fall she celebrated her ninetieth birthday with "open house" to her family and friends. Guests arrived from many points throughout Alberta, and extended birthday greetings to her.

Coming to Alberta with her husband and family in the spring of 1907, she lived for two years in the Claresholm district before moving to the eastern Barons district in 1909. She resided there until the death of her husband in 1929, and since that time has lived in many places throughout Alberta with her children. She came to Vulcan in 1952.

She is survived by five children, Mrs. Bud Schneider of Vulcan; Mrs. Jessie McIntosh of Calgary; Elwood Craig of Dawson Creek;

Roy Craig of Carmangay, and Merton Craig of Lousana; one sister, Mrs. Edith Montgomery of Tessler, Saskatchewan; four brothers, Dr. Robert McArthur of Mt. Hermon, California; Dr. Harvey McArthur of Oakville, Washington; Herbert McArthur of Didsbury, and Wesley McArthur of Rose Lind; 19 grandchildren; and 31 great grandchildren.

Six grandchildren acted as pallbearers and Mrs. Gordon Gardner sang "Nearer My God to Thee."

Bill Steiner Shows Pictures

Lions Hear Internat'l Organizer And Youth Pilgrimage Speakers

At the regular meeting Monday evening, over 50 members of the Vulcan Lions Club heard Sam Mitchell of Great Falls, Lions International organizer, speak briefly on how a man helps himself as well as his community by being a member of a service club. Several Milo residents were present at the meeting to discuss with Mr. Mitchell the possibility of forming a Lions Club at Milo.

Arrangements for the Lions Variety show, scheduled for Feb. 23-24, were discussed and all indications are that it will be an entertaining and successful show. Full practices are now being held and the public is assured of a real crowd-pleasing stage show. Tickets go on sale Feb. 15 at local stores and it is expected that sell-out crowds will be in attendance each night.

\$500.00 to Park
A donation of \$500.00 to the Vulcan Elks Lodge to be used in development of the Memorial Park and proposed picnic grounds was acknowledged by the Elks and illustrated the co-operation existing between local organizations in all community projects.

Youth Pilgrimage Speakers

Miss Kathryn Nolte and Miss Colleen Haverly, both entrants in the United Nations-Youth Pilgrimage public speaking contest sponsored by the Oddfellows Lodge, were guests of the Lions at this meeting. In their talks on the organization and work of UNESCO and UNICEF, it was apparent that both girls had put considerable thought and study into the preparation of their addresses.

Pictures of Scotland

Bill Steiner, who spent several weeks in Scotland last year as a 4-H Club exchange student, showed many colored slides of points of interest visited on his trip, of methods of farming in Scotland and of prize cattle shown at the major stock shows overseas.

His pictures and commentary were both entertaining and instructive and Lions President Bill Richardson extended to him the Club's appreciation.

Has Seventy Members

Skating Club Will Stage "Midway" Ice Carnival

The Vulcan Figure Skating Club is off to a flying start under the able leadership of Mrs. Roberta Davis. The organization meeting was held early in January. The new slate of officers included: President, Diane Collier; Secretary Sandra Paris; Treasurer, Leona Jones and Publicity manager, Cassie Graham. The directors are Sherry Haydemack, Marlin Brinker and Kathleen Haverly. The mothers of these girls are to act for them where necessary.

There is a record enrollment of seventy, with a gratifying number of boys included. They really fill the rink during the skating time. The Club is planning to put on a costume carnival, "The Midway." This will be a gala affair complete with magicians, strong men, dancing and all the rest. The Club has chosen two candidates to preside over "The Midway," Miss Jeannie Ross to be "The Queen Bee" or Jerry Willie to be "The King Pin." "The Midway" will be held at the Vulcan Arena some time in March, the date to be announced later. Tickets will be on sale early and further details will be announced in the Advocate.

FUA "Workshop" Proves Successful

A very successful F.U.A. Leadership Workshop was held in the Vulcan Legion Hall, Monday, February 7, commencing at 10 a.m. S. O. Hillerud of the Department of Extension of the University of Alberta opened the school with a talk on good communities. James Derrick, director of District No. 12, was in charge, and lectured on F. U. A. structures, from the locals to the district boards.

Mrs. Olive Douglass, provincial FWUA vice-president, addressed the assembly on the use of committees in regard to policy structure.

Mr. Hillerud gave a very able lecture on the duties of secretaries in an organization. For the next 15 minutes the audiences broke up into the various committee groups that are used in FUA work, for discussions.

A discussion took place on using Sub-District No. 5 as a testing ground for a sub-district convention, with more supervision of locals by sub-directors.

The Workshop was well attended and those present considered it to be of inestimable value to all who took part.

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To Name Three County Councillors

Three County councillors are to be elected this year and nominations will be received from 3 to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 19, at the annual County meeting which will be held that afternoon in the high school auditorium starting at 1 p.m. Bruce Alder is the returning officer.

Curling Club Plans Annual Open Bonsel

The annual open bonsel sponsored by the Vulcan Curling Club will be held starting Monday, Feb. 21, according to an announcement in this issue of the Advocate.

There will be four competitions with four sets of prizes in each competition and it is expected there will be a large number of entries from neighboring towns as well as from the local curling club.

Entry fee is \$10.00 per rink and Doug Paris, Vulcan, before 12 noon Doug Paris, Vulcan, before 12 noon Sat., Feb. 19.

Book Presented In Memory of Harry C. Douglass

D. H. Galbraith of Calgary, pioneer Vulcan district farmer and former MLA, has again presented a book to the Vulcan Public Library in honor of another district pioneer who has passed on.

In memory of the late Harry C. Douglass, well known resident of the Vulcan district from 1905 until the time of his recent death, Mr. Galbraith has presented to the library the book "From the Red to the Rockies", the story of the Canadian West from the days of the early explorers up to recent years, written by Grant MacEwan of Calgary.

The inside cover of the copy given by Mr. Galbraith carries this message:

"Presented to the Vulcan Library in memory of Harry Carl Douglass, who came to Alberta in 1905 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Douglass, four sisters and two brothers. The Douglass family were blessed with great family loyalty and that made it easy for them to co-operate with neighbors and take an active part in community life in the new district. 'From the Red to the Rockies' will give readers considerable information regarding the difficulties and opportunities which confronted the pioneer settlers."

January Births At Vulcan Hospital

The following births were recorded at the Vulcan Municipal Hospital during the month of January:

- Jan. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Akitt, Carmangay, a daughter.
- Jan. 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Humphreys, Lomond, a daughter.
- Jan. 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Barry Middleton, Vulcan, a daughter.
- Jan. 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Evan Munro, Vulcan, a son.
- Jan. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. William Hummel, Kirkcaldy, a daughter.
- Jan. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Mueller, Champion, a son.
- Jan. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. William Fodor, Queenstown, a son.
- Jan. 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Loring Piehl, Mossleigh, a son.
- Jan. 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marks, Milo, a daughter.

Even if folks do get in your hair, don't lose your head.

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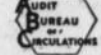
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What Will Be Done This Year?

No word has been forthcoming yet on what is planned for Highway 23 this year but it is hoped that a substantial program of hard-surfacing will be carried out in 1955.

Last year the highway from Monarch Junction to Barons (about 15 miles) received the base course. We would like to see plans for this year include the base course construction from Barons to Champion and widening and other preparatory work on the road from Champion past Vulcan to the Corner Store.

The sooner hard-surfacing of Highway 23 is completed — either to join up with the four-lane MacLeod Trail or as part of an alternate north-south route — the sooner will the pressure be relieved on No. 2 Highway from MacLeod to Aldersyde.

Hope For Improvement

While we are on the subject of hard-surfacing, it is of interest to know that the matter of hard-surfacing the four downtown business blocks in Vulcan is under consideration by the town council.

Although nothing definite has been decided as yet, present tentative plans call for the graveling of all Vulcan streets this year using crushed rock. Pit-run gravel, which has been used on the streets in previous years, simply disappears after a period of time and the use of crushed rock would effect a definite improvement.

It is understood that a very favorable price has been quoted on hard-surfacing the four blocks of streets which form the main business section. If it is possible to carry out this program of street improvement this year it would help immeasurably in controlling the dust situation which prevails in the summer months and is a matter of increasing concern.

Possibly this matter will be discussed at the annual town meeting which will be held Monday evening, Feb. 14, and further information may be available at that time.

Polio Campaign

The Canadian Legion Polio Campaign has been underway since Jan. 17. Donations to this very worthy cause can be made at the Legion or to any of the officers and the public's support of the Legion Polio Bingo, to be held Wednesday evening, Feb. 16, will do much to give the local campaign a lift.

Albertans are being asked to raise at least \$100,000 for this worthy cause and when it is considered that this amount was used in the Province last year to assist polio victims not eligible for aid from the Provincial government or other agencies, one can realize that all donations are thankfully received and urgently needed to carry on the good work.

Weather Forecasts

Dominion meteorological department will shortly start issuing long-range forecasts, based on known weather conditions thousands of miles away from the forecast district, according to information in The Financial Post this week. Instead of the present two-day forecasts, we will get information from the weatherman as to what to expect for almost the next week. This change, The Post points out, will be a boon to farmers, sports promoters and to a great many others whose business or pleasure takes them out of doors.

But it must be kept in mind that a weather forecast is of value only if it is correct — and an incorrect forecast can be much more disturbing to individuals than no forecast at all.

So we will reserve our judgment on the proposed new five-day broadcast proposals of the meteorological department, for unless these five-day forecasts are a lot more accurate than a large number of the present short-period prophecies, the local resident with the bunion will still have a larger number of true-believers than the radio-broadcast weather forecaster when it comes to how the weather's going to be tomorrow.

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CARD OF THANKS
I would like to take this opportunity to thank Dr. Tompkins, Miss Sissons and the nursing staff for their kindness to me while I was in the hospital. Also to thank all my friends who sent flowers, gifts and cards of encouragement and those who called. They were greatly appreciated.
— Mrs. Fred Gottenberg

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank everyone, Dr. Tompkins, Dr. Bramble, Miss Sissons and hospital staff, also those who visited me and those who sent flowers and cards during my stay in hospital. I would also like to extend thanks and appreciation to those who remembered Mrs. Lommatzsch and myself on our 56th wedding anniversary on Jan. 17th, while I was in hospital.
— B. R. Lommatzsch

IN MEMORIAM
HYSILIP — In memory of Hazel R. Hyslip, who passed away Feb. 12, 1936.
"Till we meet again."
— Mrs. Annie Hyslip, Amond and Elinor.

IN MEMORIAM
WYLIE — In loving memory of Jeanne Wylie, who passed away Feb. 11, 1952.
"There's an open gate at the end of the road
We each must go alone,
And there's a light we cannot see
Our Father claims His own"
"Beyond that gate our loved one Finds happiness and rest;
And there is comfort, in the thought
That a loving God knows best."
— Ever remembered by daughter dad, son-in-law and grandchildren.

NOTICE
In the Estate of Manuel Jackson Howerton, late of the Town of Vulcan, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Manuel Jackson Howerton, who died on the 14th day of November, A.D. 1954, are required to file with the undersigned solicitors by the 7th day of March, A.D. 1955, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrators will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed of which have been brought to their knowledge.

DATED at the City of Lethbridge, in the Province of Alberta, this 19th day of January, A.D. 1955.
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Solicitors for the Administrators, 106 McFarland Building, Lethbridge, Alberta.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

The Editor,
The Vulcan Advocate
Dear Sir,
May I, through you, extend to the people of Canada the very warm thanks of myself and other members of the Post Office staffs from coast to coast for the exceptional co-operation extended in the mailing of their Christmas cards and gifts.

Reports now being received from postmasters in all parts of the country indicate clearly that more than ever before, the public showed its anxiety to assist the service by mailing early, with the result that the Postal staffs were able to effect most Christmas deliveries in good time for the holiday.

The reports also indicate that the proportion of correctly addressed and well-packaged mail was higher than ever before, although, as in the past, delays and difficulties were experienced as a result of failure on the part of some mailers to observe good mailing practices.

Much of the credit for the success achieved in our handling of the Christmas mails must, of course, go to the newspapers, who in many cases took great pains to remind the public of the advantage to be gained in observing the various mailing dates and in correctly addressing and packaging their mail. Needless to say, this assistance has been much appreciated.

Yours sincerely,
W. J. TURNBULL,
Deputy Postmaster General.

Stamp Honors ICAO



Wings over the world is the design on the new postage stamp which the United Nations Postal Administration places on sale on 9 February. It marks the 10th anniversary of the International Civil Aviation Organization, ICAO, a U.N. specialized agency, helps to set world-wide standards for aviation, reduce red tape in international flights, and offers technical aid to help governments build up their aviation services. The stamp is the work of Uruguayan artist Angel Medina Medina and will appear in two denominations—the 3-cent in blue gray and the 8-cent in dark carmine.

Trash Conservation With The One-way Disk

(D. T. Andersen - Agric. Engineer)

The one-way disk first appeared on prairie farms as a commercial machine about 1925. A major consideration in the development of this machine was the need for a tillage tool that would combine good-quality, economical tillage with a reasonable measure of trash conservation. Experience has shown that excessive use of the one-way will reduce the surface trash to the point where it can no longer protect the soil from wind erosion.

The Lethbridge Station has been studying the one-way disk with respect to the effect of the number of operations, the speed of operation, and the depth of tillage on the conservation of surface trash.

Under average operating conditions, each stroke with the one-way will bury about 50 per cent of the existing surface trash. The second fallow stroke in a series of three tends to be less severe than either the first or third stroke. Measurements taken over a period of four seasons indicate that the loss of surface trash has been about 85 per cent after three following strokes with the one-way disk. The speed of operation of the

have some effect on the amount one-way disk has been found to of trash conserved on the surface of the soil. On easily pulverized soils, an increase in speed will throw slightly greater amounts of trash to the surface. This slight increase in trash protection is often outweighed by the hazard of increased soil pulverization.

Depth of tillage is a fairly important factor. The amount of trash left on the surface after three strokes at a depth of 3 to 4 inches was found to be nearly twice that left on the surface by three operations at 5 to 6 inches. However, the residue left on the surface in each case was insufficient to provide a reasonable degree of protection from wind erosion.

The results of these trash studies emphasize the need for limiting the number of operations on fallow to one or, at the most, two strokes with the one-way disk. Subsequent tillage, when required, should be carried out with a sub-surface cultivator, such as the blade cultivator, rod weeder, or heavy duty cultivator, to preserve the trash cover.



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MRS. OLIVE DOUGLASS, Vice-President FWUA

District News

BRANT

The Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. Alf Lawson on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 3rd. Mrs. Sellars acted as president in the absence of Mrs. Walbauer. The meeting was opened by singing of a hymn, followed by the devotional read by Mrs. Graham.

A discussion of business followed

arising from the correspondence and minutes. The meeting was closed by singing a hymn and recitation of doxology.

A lovely lunch was served by Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Karl Christofferson.

On the evening of Feb. 3rd the Brant-Ensign Guides and Brownies were hostess to their parents and friends, in the new hall, on the occasion of a "Walk-up" ceremony in which three Brownies, Colleen Auld, Eva Prater, and Maureen Gallagher became members of the Guide Company.

Opening remarks were made by Brownie Leader Mrs. P. Gallagher. This was followed by words of welcome by Mrs. E. Howlett, Guide Captain, who was then joined by Guide Lieutenant Mrs. E. Prater and divisional commissioner Mrs. R. V. Moore of High River, to carry out inspection and formation of the Guide horseshoe. Brownies then joined in their fairing and the three golden hand Brownies said their good-byes to their pack, Brownie Owl, and Tawny Owl, Mrs. D. Schultz. They then walked over the stepping-stones — symbols of the tests they had passed — into the Guide horseshoe, to be welcomed by Patrol leaders, Madam Commissioner and Guide leaders.

The company then sang "Be Prepared". Eight Brownies favored their guest with a singing dance. Guide Captain Mrs. Howlett introduced commissioner Moore who performed varied duties. She first presented Brownie leader Mrs. P. Gallagher with her warrant and warrant pin, then officially enrolled Mrs. E. Prater, as a Guide and presented her Guide pin, then presented several Guides with service stars. She addressed a few words to the parents. Guides then closed the programme by singing "Taps" and then served lunch to their guests.

REDLANDVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Market and family were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Russell Market at Ensign.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmanuel Rushfeldt are spending the week in Calgary.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Neil Giles on the birth of a son on Feb. 4 at the local hospital.

Arthur White and son Larry of Calgary spent Sunday visiting at the home of Miller White.

Melbourne Dunham of Calgary visited at his home in the district over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Steiner were visitors to Herrington on Sunday. Carl Steiner is curling at Carceland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Todd attended the G. Berg funeral last Wednesday at Nanton.

Mrs. Dalglish of Calgary is visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. Giles, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Giles from Marwayne.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schierman and family accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schierman were visitors to Calgary last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parslow and Winter Speer were visitors to Calgary last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burrell were Lethbridge visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Roland and

family of Shouldice, Mrs. Ronnie Rushfeldt and Morgan were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rushfeldt.

Of Many Things

By Ambrose Hills

HOW FREE AM I?

I seem to be making some people angry these days. A reader in high dudgeon writes, "You talk a lot about free enterprise. But how free is the man who has to go to work each morning when the factory whistle blows? How free is a hungry man? Indeed, since you talk so much about it, how free are you?"

L.C.'s just ignore the sarcasm and try to answer the man's questions.

First, about that man who has to go to work each morning when the factory whistle blows. Yes, I think he is free, and I also think he is lucky. In Canada, the factory whistle says, "Your job is here, if you want it, at fair pay, in decent surroundings. If you don't like this factory, you can stay home, or you can try another factory, or be a salesman, or a carpenter, or whatever you can persuade customers you can do well. You can even start your own factory if enough friends have confidence in you to help you raise the money." That's quite a bit of freedom. It would be quite different if all the factories were owned by the government, and the government blew the whistle. Then it would say, "Your supreme boss is calling. Get down to work — or starve!" That's the kind of thing I fear when the government owns more and more every day.

Now, the second question was: How free is a hungry man? Thank God, free men in free countries are not so likely to be hungry as are the citizens of slave states where the government is in supreme command. A hungry man is in a tragic position, whether he is free or slave, just as a man afflicted with small pox is in a tragic condition. But the hungry man, if free, has an opportunity in a million different ways to earn food for himself and his family. He can earn it more easily here in a free country than he can anywhere else in the world.

And how free am I? I still think I'm pretty free. My opinions are published in hundreds of papers where I've never met the editor at all, where I have not the slightest pull or influence. I write exactly as I please. Editors who disagree with me consign me to the wastebasket, or publish me and let readers decide to believe or not believe. If my facts are wrong, they check me up fast.

Because I'm a writer, I'm glad the press is still free. Radio and TV are not so free, more's the pity, because the government has taken a hand there and criticism of the government is rare and timid on the air. I feel sorry for radio news commentators, because if they displease the government they've no other national radio chain to turn to. That's why I argue so often on that point.

I haven't answered the questions fully. There's not enough space. But I hope I've given the angry man who wrote me so sarcastically a fair answer that will make him think — unless he prefers to let freedom go altogether because it takes some energy to keep it alive!

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AUDITORIUM VULCAN HIGH SCHOOL

at 1:00 o'clock p.m. on

Saturday, the 19th day of February, 1955

for the discussion of the affairs of the County and that from 3:00 o'clock p.m. to 4:00 o'clock p.m. on the same day and at the same place, nominations for the office of councillor will be received.

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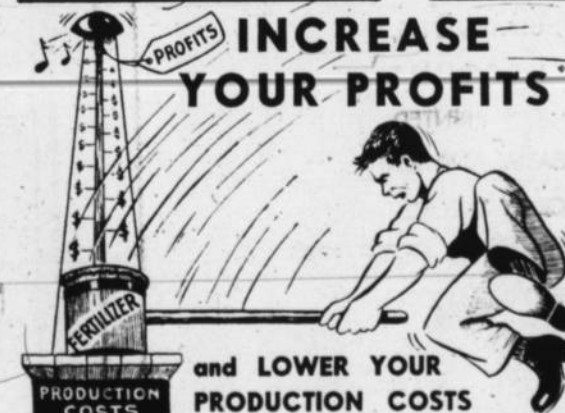
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Carmangay

Congratulations to Mrs. Arnie Dahl for being the winner of the new 1953 Plymouth which was drawn at the dance Friday night put on by the curlers.

Sympathy from the town and district is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Craig and family in the death of Mr. Craig's mother.

Emil Soderquist is a patient in the local hospital where he underwent an operation on his legs.

Myrna Clark and her mother arrived home on Friday from Edmonton where Myrna underwent an operation on her eyes.

Mrs. F. McLean of Calgary is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan McLean this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bjornson and family were Calgary visitors one day last week.

Friends will be sorry to hear that Mrs. D. H. Russell was allowed home last week from the hospital but had to go back again.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Bonar and Gail spent the weekend in Calgary visiting relatives.

Mr. W. McLeod travelled to Edmonton last week and from there he went to Ft. John.

Agnes Szekely was home for the week end visiting with her parents.

The ladies of the W.A. met on Feb. 4th in the Sunday School room with ten members present.

Mrs. Vilas Teskey read the Devotional. Mrs. Grey read a paper on "Christian Stewardship" which proved to be very informative as well as instructive.

The business of the meeting con-

sisted of making final arrangements for the serving at the Banquet for the Eastern Star on Tues. Feb. 8th. Also plans were made for the serving at the Banquet for the Lions Charter night to be held on Feb. 15th. Refreshments were served.

The regular meeting of the North Pricilla club was held at the home of Mrs. Barbara Egger on Feb. 2nd with twelve members present.

The first birthday party will be held at Lydia Anderson's on Feb. 16th. For those having birthdays in January and February and March, Roll call will be a birthday wish.

The raffle was won by Connie Stettner and Edith Church and Leona Hunt won playing marbles. The hostess served a delicious lunch.

Patients in the local hospital are Mrs. Rhodes, Boyd Green, Gladys Anderson, Mrs. D. H. Russell, Mr. Kellar, Jack Smith, Mrs. Margarete Anderson, Emil Soderquist and Baby Toemans.

The little boy peered over the edge of the stationery counter at the ten-cent store and asked hopefully: "Have you got any blank report cards?"

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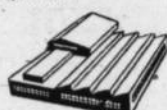
The Department of Industries and Labour carries many varied responsibilities. It takes an essential part in the development of industry throughout Alberta and in creating improved conditions affecting the whole economy of the Province.



One of the chief duties of the Department is the maintenance of harmonious relations between labour and management. A special branch—the Board of Industrial Relations—administers the Alberta Labour Act, which in itself has gained wide recognition as outstanding legislation of its kind. By its provisions, the Board of Industrial Relations has jurisdiction over such matters as minimum wages, hours of work, holiday and overtime pay, as well as general conditions affecting the welfare of the worker. The Act applies to all employers and employees in the province except farm labour and domestic servants.

Full collective bargaining rights are guaranteed under the Act and the procedure for settling disputes through negotiation, conciliation and arbitration is carefully outlined.

Alberta's record is singularly free from strike action. There have been relatively few major disputes. The department gives careful consideration to the problems of both labour and management.



In Alberta, with its marked industrial expansion, an adequate supply of skilled labour is essential. The training of young men and women for designated trades is the responsibility of the Apprenticeship-Government. In relation to population, more apprentices are being trained in Alberta than in any other Canadian province.

The Co-operative Activities Branch of the department supervises all types of co-operatives in Alberta. These include rural electrification associations, producer co-operatives, livestock feeder associations and credit unions.

Special references should be made to the Rural Electrification Associations through which farmers build power lines and electrify their farms. Assisted by the Co-operative Activities Branch, these associations have scored a remarkable record, with between five and six thousand additional farms being electrified each year. Total number is now well over 28,000—an increase of some 14,000 since 1949.

A revolving fund of \$10,000,000 has been made available by the Alberta Government, from which Rural Electrification Associations may borrow as much as 85 percent of the money needed to finance the building of their lines.

The Alberta Power Commission, charged with the general supervision and encouragement of all matters relating to electric power in the province, functions as a branch of the Department of Industries and Labour.

The Provincial Marketing Board, another branch, is empowered to provide producers, manufacturers, distributors and consumers with the means of buying and selling goods at fair and equitable prices. Its policy of buying raw materials in mass quantities may be applied where necessary, and is of great benefit to the small Alberta manufacturer.

Three special inspection services, designed to protect life and property, are conducted by other branches of the department. These are inspections of boilers and pressure vessels by the Boilers Branch, installation and appliances by the Electrical Protection Branch, (and under the provisions of the Factories Act) grain elevators, freight and passenger elevators, and oil drilling rigs. The Factories Act also covers such matters as sanitary regulations and fire prevention.

Another division of the Department of Industries and Labour is the Bureau of Statistics. The function of the bureau is to collect and compile statistics of value not only to the various departments of government but to the public in general.

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Home Economist's Letter

By Jacqueline Donaldson
Home Economist, Claresholm

"Home Freezer"

I have recently spoken to a number of persons interested in the pro's and con's of owning a home freezer and since the initial expenditure is so large it is something which must be given a great deal of thought. Here are the things you should consider. There are of course innumerable benefits such as the saving on shopping time; availability of food when you want it; saving in time and energy by wise preparation; storage of left-overs; you may buy in quantity; you may buy large amounts when prices are low. A freezer is without a doubt a wonderful convenience.

A word of warning now—don't let yourselves be carried away by promises of great economies to be made by the use of a freezer. There is to be sure an economy of time, an increase in convenience and possibly a rise in the standard of living. There are even savings in dollars and cents and quite substantial ones—to be made. But when you figure savings, you should balance them against such major cost items as (1) initial cost of the freezer (2) repair and upkeep costs (there may be no repairs for some years but when they are necessary they are fairly sure to be expensive) (3) electricity costs and (4) cost of packaging materials.

All in all it would be most reasonable to consider the home freezer like your refrigerator, vacuum cleaner, food mixer, etc.—a real advance in living standards but one that costs rather than saves money. It is not possible to indicate even as closely as with a refrigerator how much a freezer will cost you to operate. Many factors affect freezer operating costs including the outside temperature, the number of times a day it is opened, the temperature of foods put into it and the cost of electricity in the locality. Of course the more rapid the turn over in products stored in the freezer the less the cost of operation per pound of food stored. The cost of operating a freezer is such that it doesn't pay to use one for foods of a low moderate value per pound or for foods that are commonly available at relatively low cost per pound during most of the year.

Here is an example of how to compute a year's cost of owning and operating an electric freezer—exclusive of the cost of food and packaging (Claresholm prices).

Price of freezer (12 cu. ft. — 420 lbs. capacity)	\$518.75
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Repairs, estimated 2% of purchased price	10.37
Electricity for operation per year (at 2 cents per kilowatt hour — about 1200 kwh. per year)	24.00

Estimated yearly cost of owning and using a freezer \$586.24
When buying on an installment plan of course the depreciation would be higher.

SERVICE BOARD NOTES

H. S. Burns, Field Supervisor

Some very interesting figures have come to hand from E. R. Swindlehurst, research editor, Alberta Department of Agriculture, concerning the farthest north research centre in Alberta, the experimental Sub-station at Fort Vermilion.

The past five years Agriculture has expanded at the rate of ten thousand acres a year, and the station is now serving a population of four to five hundred farmers.

Fifty thousand acres of flax were grown in the area the past year, and around 2000 acres of alfalfa seed crop, about 30,000 acres of wheat oats and barley. Last season there was only three inches of rain in the growing season, in spite of this alfalfa seed produced 200 lbs to the acre, flax 8 bushels, wheat 12, oats 34 and barley 21.

Snow covers the ground from the end of October to the middle of April, but in the long summer days growth is very rapid and crops mature early. It is a great area for sunshine in the summer, for a forty year average the months of May, June and August received 259.8, 269.8 and 262.3 hours of bright sunshine.

The people at the Sub-station are: Officers in charge, Victor J. Lowe; and his associates are D.W. Bray and J. A. Newman. They are very proud of their station and their district, and well they may be.

Most of us, I am sure were not aware that agriculture was being carried on to that extent as far north as Fort Vermilion.

Pete THE PRINTER

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Jesse & Emelson, John Deere Dealers for Vulcan and district, will officially open their newly-constructed building on Monday, Feb. 14, following the John Deere Show which will be screened at the Vulcan Theatre at 1:30 p.m. that day.

Replacing the old frame building that served as the John Deere office and shop for many years, the new building is of concrete block construction & measures 40 x 80 feet. The back half of the building has been equipped as the repair shop with work benches, hoists, etc. A tool room occupies one corner and one other corner is used for steam cleaning, with sloping cement floor and heavy canvas curtains which can be drawn into place to entirely enclose this steam cleaning corner. A 12-foot double door allows the largest of equipment to be brought into the shop.

The front half of the new building contains the stock racks, bathroom, showerroom and private office. An 8-foot double door allows machinery to be brought into the showroom for display. Floors throughout the building are of cement and a propane furnace supplies the heat.

Concrete block laying and all cement work were done by J. Wiersma & Son, building materials were supplied by Beaver Lumber Ltd., electrical wiring was done by W. M. Giles and plumbing was installed by MacDonald's Electric.

The concrete blocks were supplied by Jefferies & Sons Ltd., of Calgary.

The property comprises seven lots with a total frontage of 135 feet, giving ample additional space for outside storage. The former office and shop will be torn down.



Max Jesse came to Vulcan in 1952, purchasing the John Deere business operated for many years by H. B. Uirich. Mr. Jesse has a long association with the John Deere company, having spent eight years as a service man with the company in Calgary and Lethbridge, followed by six years as territory manager. Prior to coming to Vulcan he was the John Deere dealer at Granum. He is a member of the Vulcan town council, the Masonic Lodge and the Lions Club.

In 1953 Ed Emelson became a partner in the business, coming to Vulcan after spending several years with the John Deere company as a service

man in Calgary and Lethbridge. Mr. Emelson is service manager for the partnership, while Mr. Jesse is in charge of sales. At the present time they employ one mechanic, Clarence Johnson, and normally have a man in charge of parts. Mr. Emelson is also interested in community affairs and is a member of the Vulcan Masonic Lodge.

In addition to a full line of John Deere farm equipment, Jesse & Emelson handle Victory Blades, Wisconsin Engines, Firestone Tires, Autolite and Life-long Batteries, Beatty Appliances and Sturdie Propane. They believe their new building will allow them to better service the needs of their customers.

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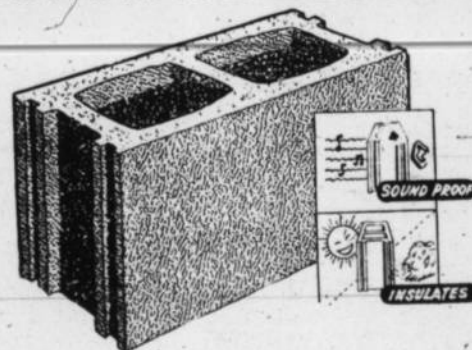
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TOWN OF VULCAN

AUDITOR'S FINANCIAL STATEMENT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1954

RECEIPTS

Balances, December 31, 1953 —			
General Account	\$20,239.48	\$1,136.07	
Petty Cash	30.00		
TOTALS	\$20,239.48	\$1,136.07	
Receipts on Account Taxation —			
Licenses and Permits —			
Business \$625.00; Building Permits \$28.50		653.50	
Animals \$122.00		122.00	
Plumbing		110.00	
Fines —		817.50	
Interest, Exchange, Premiums, etc. —			
Interest Earnings \$1,500.00		1,500.00	
Service Charges —			
Work done for others (Cust. Work) 1,081.70		1,081.70	
Sewer Service Charges \$5,984.15		5,984.15	
Recreation and Community Services —			
Recreation Services		523.90	
Community services including Cemetery		637.00	
Contributions, Grants and Subsidies —			
Prov. Govt.—Public Welfare Act, \$36.00		36.00	
Home for Aged and Infirm \$148.75		148.75	
Municipal Assistance Act		9,169.49	
Debt—Proceeds of Sale —			
Municipal Capital Expenditure Loans Act		74,800.00	
Miscellaneous —			
Refunds \$3.00; Supplies sold \$107.48		110.48	
Government of Canada Bonds		50,801.03	
Lots		1,150.00	
Other Land		3,500.00	
L.I.O. Fees recovered		22.00	
Workmen's Compensation Adjustment		44.04	
Sale of Safety Posters		25.00	
Public Utilities —			
Waterworks		17,735.69	
Outstanding Cheques, Vouchers or Overdraft, Dec. 31, 1954 —			
General \$1,212.01		1,212.01	

TOTAL

\$270,860.19

PAYMENTS

Outstanding Cheques, Vouchers, Overdraft Dec. 31, 1953 —			
General \$1,880.00		1,880.00	
General Government —			
Sal. Sec.-Treas. 3,000; Assist. 14.50 Assessor 99.54		3,114.04	
Audit Fees \$200.00		200.00	
Legal and Tax Recovery Expenses \$91.65		91.65	
Print. & Stat. 508.84; L.T.O. 514.25; Elec. 28.48		1,051.57	
Post. 'grams, 'phone 465.70; Insurance 648.59;			
Office Expense 582.69		1,696.98	
Assoc. Fees, 57.50; Bond Premium 8.00		65.50	
Delegates 250.00		250.00	
Light, Heat & Power 464.72; License 6.00		470.72	
Unemployment Insurance		102.30	
P. O. Box		5.00	
Protection to Person and Property —			
Fire Dept. 874.44; Police Dept. 6,128.68		7,003.12	
Street Lighting \$1,836.00		1,836.00	
Public Works —			
Streets 1,451.18; Sidewalks, 102.70		1,553.88	
Workmen's Compensation Board 130.18		130.18	
Town Foreman		2,100.00	
Maintenance and Repairs Town Equipment		2,745.73	
Plumbing Inspector		100.00	
Sanitation and Waste Removal —			
Sewer Maintenance and Operation		7,507.48	
Health —			
Municipal Hosp. Requisition		4,554.00	
Social Welfare —			
Aid to Aged & Infirm - Maintenance 322.50		322.50	
Aid to Unemployables \$83.82		83.82	
Mothers' Allowance		318.00	
Education —			
Public School Requisition		34,297.14	
Recreation and Community Services —			
Parks 546.00; Rinks 2,906.68; Cemetery, 169.94		4,222.62	
Comfort Station 300.00		300.00	
Library, 120.00; Golf Course 3.17		123.17	
United Church W. A. 10.00; C.N.I.B. 25.00		35.00	
Red Cross 15.00; S. A. 25.00; Scouts 25.00;			
St. John's Ambulance 10.00		110.00	
Debt Charges —			
Debentures 7,678.18; Exchange, 10.65;		15,353.45	
Interest on Loans 7,664.62		51,311.16	
Public Utilities —			
Provided out of Revenue		18,409.21	
Pro. or to be Provided out of Debenture Bor.		23,194.09	
Miscellaneous —			
Securities Pur. 47,927.40; Civ. Defense 188.92		48,116.32	
Health Unit Requisition		988.51	
Refunding Fines		82.50	
Returned Cheque		30.92	
Balances, December 31, 1954 —			
General Account	\$36,244.67	\$463.96	
Petty Cash	30.00		
TOTALS	\$36,244.67	\$463.96	

TOTAL

\$270,860.19

CAPITAL AND LOAN FUNDS BALANCE SHEET
(General Section)

ASSETS	
General Fixed Assets (at Cost) —	187,153.90
Due from Utilities (For Debentures) —	
Waterworks	145,270.80
Due from Other Funds (Other than for Debentures) —	
General Revenue—Deben. proceeds unexpended	3,805.91
TOTAL CAPITAL ASSETS	\$336,230.61

CAPITAL AND LOAN FUNDS BALANCE SHEET
(General Section)

LIABILITIES	
Debenture Debt (Excluding unsold Debentures) —	
The Self-Liquidating Projects Act	12,070.80
The Municipal Capital Expenditure Loans Act	74,800.00
Other Debenture Debt	159,200.00
Investment in Cap. (or fixed) Assets (Cap. Sur.)	90,159.81
TOTAL CAPITAL LIABILITIES	\$336,230.61

REVENUE FUND SURPLUS (DEFICIT) ACCOUNT

Balance of Surplus at Begin. of Year	25,623.74
Surplus or Deficit included in Current Budget	
Transferred to Revenue and Expenditure Account, Exhibit A	2,000.00
Adjustment's Affecting Operations of Previous Years:	
Workmen's Compensation	44.04
Account Receivable 1953	1,361.86
Other Transactions Affecting Surplus:	
Cemetery — Adjustment	868.69
Surplus for year under review	9,063.31
Balance of Deficit at end of year	32,237.92
Totals of Debit and Credit Columns	\$35,599.78

GENERAL FIXED ASSETS**Land, Buildings, Plant and Equipment, and Municipal Improvements**

Land	Buildings	Plant & Equip.	Other	Total
General Government —				
Civic Offices	\$1,350.00	\$10,001.71	\$ 1,061.96	\$ 13,313.67
Protection to Persons and Property —				
Fire Dept.	554.43	2,138.51	12,926.26	
Police Dept.		4,386.95		20,006.15
Public Works — Workshops, Yards & other bldgs.	450.00	951.85	8,030.50	
Sidewalks				31,129.53
Sts. & Rds.			3,486.84	3,736.54
Sanitation & Waste Removal —				
Garbage, Waste Collections & Disposal			100.00	
Sewers			52,086.14	
Sewage Treatment & Disposal	2,568.25	20,410.18	4,000.00	79,164.57
Recreation Services —				
Amusement Parks & Playgrounds		4,531.88		
Skating Rinks & Arenas		150.00	20,585.00	25,266.88
Community Services —				
Art Gal., Libraries & Museums			800.00	
Pks. & Cemets.	367.37			1,167.37
Miscel. N.O.P.		450.00		450.00
TOTALS	\$10,071.93	\$38,064.02	\$100,151.88	\$38,866.07

TAXES RECEIVABLE AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1954

	Current Year's Levy (not including property Acquired for Taxes)	Prior Year's Arrears (not including property Acquired for Taxes)	Total
Balance, January 1, 1954		\$15,668.79	\$15,668.79
Current Year's Levy	83,693.30		83,693.30
Penalties and Costs added in 1954		937.72	937.72
TOTAL DUE	\$83,693.30	\$16,606.51	\$100,299.81
Collected in 1954, includ. costs	67,553.25		67,553.25
Discounts allowed	2,790.36		2,790.36
Uncollected Taxes, Dec. 31, 1954	13,349.69	4,889.88	18,239.57

WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM INCOME

Sale of Water —	\$17,480.91	\$17,480.91
Miscellaneous Income —		
Customers' Forfeited Discounts and Penalties	192.11	192.11
Provided by Municipality from Tax Levy —		
Local Improvement Charge—Owner's Share	2,307.19	2,307.19
TOTAL INCOME		19,980.21
GRAND TOTAL INCOME SECTION		\$19,980.21

WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM EXPENDITURE

Customers' Billing and Collecting	1,000.00	1,000.00
Power and Pumping — Operation	1,072.77	1,072.77
Transmission and Distribution — Operation	3,549.88	3,549.88
Other (Exclusive of Depre. & Debenture Debt Charges)		
Capital Expenditure out of Revenue	3,094.77	3,094.77
Debenture Debt Charges —		
Int. 4,265.58; Serial Deben.—Prin. 4,821.36	9,086.94	9,086.94
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		17,804.36
SURPLUS FOR YEAR		2,175.85
GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURE SECTION		\$19,980.21

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REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT
(General Section)**REVENUE**

Taxes for Municipal, School and Hospital Purposes —			
Real Property —			
Land, Build. and Improve. (includ. minimums)	72,262.50		
Electric Light and Power	372.00	72,634.90	
Business	4,856.90	4,856.90	
Special Assessments —			
Frontage Taxes	6,201.90	6,201.90	
Licenses and Permits —			
Business \$625.00; Building Permits \$28.50	653.50		
Animals, \$122.00; Other, \$110.00	232.00	885.50	
Fines —	1,145.00	1,145.00	
Interest, Tax Penalties, etc. —			
Interest Earnings	998.63		
Penalties and Costs	937.72		
Service Charges —			
Work done for others (Custom Work)	1,744.89		
Sewer Service Charge	6,088.04	7,832.93	
Recreation and Community Services —			
Rinks	523.90		
Community Services including Cemetery	945.00	1,468.90	
Contributions, Grants and Subsidies —			
Prov.Govt.—Public Welfare Assist. Act 48.00;			
Home for Aged and Infirm 161.25	209.25		
Municipal Assistance Act	9,169.49	9,378.74	
Debt—Debt Charges Recoverable —			
Other Revenue —			
Supplies Sold	107.48		
Gain on Sale of Govt. of Canada Bonds	3,375.00		
Sale of Safety Posters	25.00		
Sale of Lots 1,150.00; Other Land 3,500.00	4,650.00	8,157.48	
TOTAL REVENUE	123,585.14		
Surplus from Previous Year	2,000.00		
Total	125,585.14		

GRAND-TOTAL REVENUE SECTION

\$125,585.14

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT
(General Section)**EXPENDITURE**

General Government (Administration) —			
Salaries—Sec.-Treas. 2,000.; Assistants, 14.50;			
Assessor 99.54		2,114.04	
Audit fees		200.00	
Legal and Tax Recovery Expenses		91.65	
Print. & Stat. 481.42; L.T.O. 462.15; Elec. 28.48		972.05	
Postage, 'grams, 'phone 452.90; Insurance 645.59			
Office Expense 582.63		1,681.12	
Association Fees 57.50; Bond Premium 8.00		65.50	
Delegates		250.00	
Light, Heat and Power 486.58; License 6.00		492.58	
Unemployment Insurance		102.30	
P. O. Box		5.00	
Protection to Persons and Property —			
Fire Protection 898.32; Police Dept. 6,181.65		7,079.97	
Street Lighting		1,886.00	
Public Works —			
Streets 1,061.06; Sidewalks 102.70		1,163.76	
Workmen's Compensation Board		130.18	
Town Foreman		2,100.00	
Maintenance and Repairs Town Equipment		2,650.16	
Plumbing Inspector		100.00	
Sanitation and Waste Removal —			
Sewer Maintenance and Operation		4,593.68	
Other —		2,751.58	
Health —			
Municipal Hospital Requisition		4,554.00	
Social Welfare —			
Aid to Aged and Infirm—Maintenance		322.50	
Aid to Unemployable		82.50	
Mothers' Allowance		318.00	
Education —			
Public School Requisition		34,297.14	
Recreation and Community Services —			
Parks 518.50; Rinks 2,258.43; Cemetery 1,169.94;		4,246.87	
Comfort Station 300.00		300.00	
Library 120.00; Golf Course 3.17		123.17	
United Church W. A. 10.00; C.N.I.B. 25.00;			
Red Cross 15.00		50.00	
Sal. Army \$25.; Scouts \$25.; St. John's Amb. \$10.		60.00	
Debt Charges —			
Debenture Debt Charges		15,387.86	
Exchange		10.65	
Utilities and Other Municipal Enterprises —			
Municipal Levies—Water Frontage Tax		2,307.19	
Capital Expenditures Provided out of Revenue		22,364.65	
Joint and Special Expenditures —			
Health Unit Req. 988.51; Civil Defense 188.92		1,177.43	
Miscellaneous Expenditures —			
Discount on Current Taxes		2,790.36	
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		\$116,521.83	
Surplus for year		9,063.31	
GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURE SECTION		\$125,585.14	

GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURE SECTION

\$125,585.14

REVENUE FUND BALANCE SHEET
(General Section)**ASSETS**

Net Balances December 31, 1954 —			
General Account	\$35,032.66	\$463.96	
Petty Cash	30.00		
TOTALS	\$35,032.66	\$463.96	
Accounts Receivable —			
Trenching 2,062.74; Custom work 47.75		2,110.49	
Sewer Service Charges 572.14; Cem. 308.00		880.14	
Sanitation 45.00; Supplies 45.30		90.30	
Sundry		30.92	
Due from Province —			
Public Welfare Assistance Act 12.00;			
Home for Aged and Infirm Act 12.50		24.50	
L. T. O.		30.10	
Fines		410.00	
Due From Other Funds —			
Waterworks		32,515.52	
Tax Receivable—(Not includ. Prop. Ac. for Tax)		18,239.57	
Inventories —			
Public Works		972.39	
Accrued Items —			
Land Purchase—Parks (contra)		4,900.00	
TOTAL ASSETS		\$ 95,730.53	

REVENUE FUND BALANCE SHEET
(General Section)**LIABILITIES**

Accounts Payable —			
Light & Power 611.90; Police 99.25; Fire 23.88		735.03	
Stationery 6.49; Insurance 15.00; 'phone 9.65		31.14	
Pub. Works 39.78; Sanitation 5.75; Rinks 11.85		57.38	
Office		2.64	
Sidewalks		3,955.44	
Debentures and Coupons Due —			
Interest		360.00	
Due to Other Funds —			
Waterworks—Debenture proceeds unexpended		4,245.09	
Capital Fund—Debenture proceeds unexpended		3,806.91	
Accrued Items —			
Defer. Bal. - Land Purchase - due '55 (contra)		4,900.00	
Reserve for Uncollectable Taxes —		400.00	
Other Reserves —			
Waterworks		45,000.00	
SURPLUS		32,237.92	
TOTAL REVENUE FUND LIABILITIES		\$ 95,730.53	

TOTAL REVENUE FUND LIABILITIES

\$ 95,730.53

District News

MAJORVILLE

(Held Over)

There was a good turnout for the dance at Liberty last Friday.

Music was supplied by Jack Shield, Harvey Godkin, and Bill Shield.

Leona Voors, a student teacher at the Faculty of Education in Calgary, spent the weekend at the

home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Voors.

Friends will be glad to know that Mrs. Andie Osler was released from Bassano hospital last week and is presently in Calgary at the home of her daughter.

On the occasion of her birthday, Mrs. Wellman's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scott entertained a number of friends at a turkey supper on Saturday. Guests for the evening were Mr.

and Mrs. Wellman, Mr. and Mrs. Barsch, Mr. and Mrs. H. Winch, Mr. and Mrs. Francis, Mrs. Sutherland, and Leslie Marshall. Cards were enjoyed during the evening and prizes were won by Mrs. Sutherland and Ray Wellman.

Supper guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Clemmons were: Mr. and Mrs. Larry Umscheid, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Armstrong, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Armstrong. The boys have

been fishing at Lake MacGregor and decided to sample their wares, so supper was fish and chips.

Last Monday afternoon Mrs. Lewis Greaves entertained at tea when the guests were Mrs. Smith of Kelowna, B.C., Mrs. Sam Francis of Shoultice, Mrs. Jim Dew, Mrs. Bennett Dew, Mrs. S. Henry, Mrs. Sutherland, Mrs. Bartsch, Mrs. H. Winch and Mrs. Francis. A riddle contest was won by Mrs. Sutherland.

ARROWWOOD

(Held Over)

The Association of Guides and Brownies held their annual meeting last week in the United Church. Election of officers took place. New officers are as follows: President, Mrs. P. McInenly; Vice Pres., Mrs. W. Blackie; Sec.-Treas., Mrs. D. Richards; Badge Convener, Mrs. J. Jacobson; Uniform Convener, Mrs. F. C. House.

Mrs. Sarah Oldfield spent the week end visiting in Balzac at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Oldfield.

Carol Brown spent the past week in the Vulcan hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. S. Glover of the teaching staff here, spent a few days at home due to the flu. Mr. McDaniel took over her duties at the school during her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Irwin were renewing acquaintances in this district on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Ekeland spent the past week end visiting in Calgary.

W. Cochran left for Oregon where he will visit his sister for a few weeks.

Mrs. A. Glover has her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Miller, and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. Johnston of Spalding, Sask., visiting for a few weeks.

One ladies curling rink from Arrowwood consisting of E. Hayes, J. House, O. Anderson and P. Murdoch entered the Ladies Bonspiel in Gleichen this week.

Three local rinks competed in the McDonald Brier playoffs here last Wednesday. They were the rinks skipped by Don Beagle, Joan Beagle and Bert Setters. The Setters rink won and played in the playoffs in Strathmore on Saturday, but were defeated by King of Indus and Baker of Mossleigh.

The monthly meeting of Home & School was held Tuesday, Jan.

25th in the school. Minutes were read and further business discussed. Following this three of the teaching staff, Mrs. Suchure, Mrs. Anderson and Mr. Stamm assisted by six parents, gave information on teaching a child to read correctly. Following the meeting, lunch was served.

The W.A. of the United church held their regular meeting in the Church Jan. 26th., with a good number of members present. It was decided to obtain pews for the church and Mr. and Mrs. W. Blackie were put in charge of this. Mrs. P. Talbot gave a report on recent convention held in Calgary. It was also voted to purchase material for choir gowns. Following the meeting, a delicious lunch was served by hostesses Mrs. A. Ingraham and Mrs. M. Wallace.

The Ground Hog supper sponsored by the Ladies Aid of the Church of the Brethren was well attended and proved very successful. Chief item on the menu was ground hog which was suited to the occasion and tasty as well.

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TOWN OF VULCAN

NOTICE OF

Annual Meeting

OF ELECTORS

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the Electors of the town of Vulcan will be held in the I.O.O.F. Hall Basement, Vulcan on

Mon., Feb. 14, 1955

at 8:00 p.m.

For the purpose of receiving the reports of Mayor, Secretary-Treasurer, Auditor and Chairman of the various committees of the Council for the year ending the thirty-first day of December, 1954.

Dated at Vulcan this 31st day of January, 1955.

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In the same way, every life insurance policyholder renders many other valuable services to his fellow-citizens. For investments may also be made for him in ways that help finance new roads, schools, waterworks and other important projects.

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Town of Vulcan Auditor's Financial Statement

WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM SURPLUS (Deficit) ACCOUNT

	Debit	Credit	Balance
Balance of Surplus at Begin. of year		2,228.66	2,228.66
Capital Expenditure out of Revenue		3,094.77	
Surplus for Year under Review		2,175.85	
Balance of Deficit at end of year	\$7,499.28		\$7,499.28
Totals of Debit and Credit Columns	\$7,499.28	\$7,499.28	

WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM BALANCE SHEET ASSETS

Accounts Receivable	\$ 1,644.19	\$ 1,644.19
Total Current Assets		1,644.19
Utility Plant		
Lands	100.00	
Buildings and Improvements	3,888.93	
Plant and Equipment	15,461.37	
Transmission and Distribution System	176,480.91	
Other	5,000.00	
TOTAL	\$200,931.21	
Less Reserve for Depreciation	22,829.20	178,102.01
Due from Other Funds		
General Revenue—Deben. proc. unexpended		4,245.09
Unamortized Discount		2,260.88
Other Capital Assets		
Account Receivable—Sale of Surplus Equip.		719.60
TOTAL ASSETS		\$186,971.77

WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM BALANCE SHEET LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable		121.17
Due to Other Funds—General Revenue		32,515.52
Customers' Deposits		1,565.00
Debt		
Due to Capital and Loan Fund	145,270.80	145,270.80
Surplus		
Capital Surplus		3,094.77
Earned Surplus		4,404.51
TOTAL LIABILITIES		\$186,971.77

CURRENCY OF PAYMENT OF FUTURE DEBTURE PAYMENTS AND INTEREST COUPONS (Combined) AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1954

Amount Payable in Canada Only	1955	\$ 21,516.90
	1956	23,333.40
	1957	22,955.40
	1958	22,677.40
	1959	22,394.90
	1960 to Maturity	229,179.70
TOTAL		\$342,057.70

ANALYSIS OF DEBTURE DEBT AS AT DEC. 31, 1954

	Serial Debit.	Total
General—All Other Gen. Debt (Incl. Sewers)	100,800.00	100,800.00
Public Utilities—Water Supply System	145,270.80	145,270.80
Total Public Utilities	145,270.80	145,270.80
GRAND TOTAL DEBTURE DEBT	\$246,070.80	\$246,070.80

ANALYSIS OF DEBTURE DEBT CHARGES RECOVERABLE

	Interest	Serial Debtures—Principal Installments	Total Debtures—Debt Charges Recoverable
Public Utilities	\$4,265.58	\$4,821.36	\$9,086.94
Total Debt Charges Recoverable	\$4,265.58	\$4,821.36	\$9,086.94

ANALYSIS OF DEBTURE DEBT CHARGES

	Interest	Serial Debtures—Principal Installments	Total Debtures—Debt Charges
All Other General Debt (inc. Sewers)	\$3,444.04	\$2,856.82	\$ 6,200.86
TOTAL	\$3,444.04	\$2,856.82	\$ 6,200.86
Public Utilities—Water Supply System	\$4,265.58	\$4,821.36	\$ 9,086.94
Total Public Utilities	\$4,265.58	\$4,821.36	\$ 9,086.94
Total Debt Charges on Deben. Issued	\$7,709.62	\$7,678.18	\$15,387.80
Total Debture Debt Charges	\$7,709.62	\$7,678.18	\$15,387.80

ANALYSIS OF DEBTURE DEBT CHARGES BY YEARS

(Principal or Sinking Fund Requirements and Interest)
Future Principal Maturities of Sinking Fund Debtures

	Principal	Interest
General, Drainage and Local Improvements—		
1955	\$ 5,249.14	\$ 4,063.50
1956	6,381.32	3,868.98
1957	6,448.64	3,624.66
1958	6,584.48	3,378.49
1959	6,722.22	3,127.42
1960 to Maturity	69,414.20	19,510.32
TOTAL	\$100,800.00	\$37,573.37

	Principal	Interest
Public Utilities—		
1955	6,573.34	5,630.92
1956	7,691.30	5,391.80
1957	7,778.31	5,103.79
1958	7,901.13	4,813.30
1959	8,026.50	4,518.76
1960 to Maturity	107,300.22	32,954.96
TOTAL	\$145,270.80	\$58,413.53

	Principal	Interest
Totals—		
1955	11,822.48	9,694.42
1956	14,072.62	9,260.78
1957	14,226.95	8,728.45
1958	14,485.61	8,191.79
1959	14,748.72	7,646.18
1960 to Maturity	176,714.42	52,465.28
GRAND TOTAL	\$246,070.80	\$95,986.90

VERIFICATION OF CASH ON HAND DECEMBER 31, 1954

Cash on hand December 31, 1954, as per Cash Statement	\$ 493.96
Cash received between December 31, 1954, and date of Audit	\$ 826.69
TOTAL	\$1,320.65
Deduct cash deposit, in Bank between Dec. 31, 1954 and audit	\$1,128.65
Cash on hand actually counted by us at date of audit	\$ 192.00

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

We have audited the accounts of the Town of Vulcan for the year ending December 31st, 1954, and certify that in our opinion the foregoing financial statements are properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the financial affairs of the Municipality, according to the best of our information, the explanations given to us, and as shown by the records, subject to any qualifications mentioned in Auditor's Special Report herewith.

Dated at Calgary, Alberta, this 31st day of January, 1955.

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EXEMPTIONS

VALUATION OF PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

	Land	Buildings	Total
Government Property—Drill Hall	\$ 3,200	\$ 15,770	\$ 18,970
TOTAL DOMINION	\$ 3,200	\$ 15,770	\$ 18,970
Provincial—Alberta Govt. Telephones	2,100	1,380	3,480
Treasury Branch	980	5,930	6,910
TOTAL PROVINCIAL	3,080	7,310	10,390

	Land	Buildings	Total
Municipal—			
Used by Own Municipality	35,000	24,140	59,140
Schools (Include public, Excl. private)	8,580	127,710	136,290
Public Parks	2,650	27,000	29,650
Public Hospitals	3,000	82,590	85,590
Public Libraries	50	390	440
County of Vulcan	3,760	15,380	19,140
TOTAL MUNICIPAL	\$53,040	\$277,210	\$330,250

Property used for Educational, Religious, Charitable and Welfare Purposes—

	Land	Buildings	Total
Religious Purposes	\$ 2,940	31,690	34,630
Canadian Legion	2,350	27,670	29,720
TOTAL	4,990	59,360	64,350
GRAND TOTAL EXEMPTIONS	\$64,310	\$359,650	\$423,960

District News

QUEENSTOWN

A speedy recovery is wished for Mrs. McLaughlin and Tom Daw, who have been ill; also a number of school children who have been quarantined with the measles.

Miss Audrey Bushell and Eugene Bushell entertained about twenty-four young people on Sunday evening with a turkey dinner and social evening.

Miss Marilyn Laid of Calgary spent the week end under the parental roof.

The Queenstown C.G.I.T. observed Christian Youth Week by a banquet and service of worship.

The Milo C.G.I.T. group and members attended the banquet served by the Ladies Aid and the C.G.I.T. girls assisted with the service. The guest speaker was Miss Jean Angus, Prov. Girls Work

Board secretary from Calgary.

A number of the local citizens attended the Ice Cycles at Calgary during the week.

The February meeting of the WI was held in the Legion Hall on Thursday with a good attendance. Mrs. Bushell and Mrs. Laid will attend the coming Convention March 10th and 11th at Lethbridge. A mattress cover was culled for one of the members during the month by the ladies and they plan on finishing a crib quilt before next meeting. The hostesses Mrs. Wray McCallum and Mrs. D. Hunter served a lovely lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McCord and children were Tuesday visitors to the city.

HERRONTON

(Held Over)

The February meeting of the Herronton Community Club is to be held at the home of Mrs. Doug Swartz with Roll Call to be a "Sample of your Hobby."

The ladies curling team consisting of Millicent Stewart, Edna Weber, Joan Layercraft and Norma Malmberg took in the Mossleigh Ladies' Invitational Bonspiel and came home with third in the Third Event. All reported a wonderful time.

Stu Beagle and his curling team Jim Rockefeller, Ted Seney and Gordon Seney won the right to represent Blackie in the District Playdowns in High River with five straight wins.

Allan Fisher is suffering from a mild attack of chicken-pox.

A very well-attended wedding dance was held on Friday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Green with friends coming from Blackie, High River, Calgary, and Vulcan to wish the happy couple all the best. Mr. John Webb, on behalf of the Community Club presented them with a purse to which both of them graciously responded.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Hunt and girls spent the weekend in Lethbridge.

Square dancing at Herronton is to commence Saturday, Feb. 12th, with John Webb calling. It is hoped that a large enough crowd will turn out so this can be a bi-monthly function.

Mrs. John Brotherhood is in the High River hospital suffering from pneumonia and infected ears.

A very pretty shower was held at the home of Mrs. Joe Howe on Monday evening in honor of Mrs. Leonard Green. She was the recipient of many lovely gifts from the 43 ladies present. Her two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Elsie Earl and Mrs. Sarah Wray, assisted her in opening them. After a short program a sumptuous lunch was served by Mrs. Howe assisted by Mrs. Mildred Traves, Mrs. Dorothy Sewell and Mrs. Shirley Sewell.

Miss Helen Vorein spent a few days in Calgary with her sister.

With The District Agriculturist
Hugh Michael

SALINE OR ALKALI SOILS

Saline soils are a problem in many areas of Southern Alberta. This problem has increased during recent years when more than average precipitation has been received. On some farms saline soils are a major problem. Salinity is caused by the presence of excessive amounts of some common soluble salts which are usually sodium sulphate, magnesium sulphate and calcium sulphate.

Where these salts are concentrated bare patches appear which show a white crust of salts during dry weather. Since these salts are readily water soluble they usually accumulate in low areas where they are carried by water and left behind as the water evaporates.

The recommendations regarding obtaining maximum production on saline soils are:

1. By the use of barnyard and green manure
2. Grow salt tolerant crops
3. Improve surface drainage
4. There is no chemical treatment which will remove the salts or neutralize their effect.

Phosphate fertilizers, such as 11-48-0 appear to promote better growth on these soils.

Listed below are some of the common crops in order of their tolerance to salinity or alkali. Seed crops, fairly tolerant — rape, barley, rye, and oats. Slightly tolerant — wheat and flax. Forage crops — tall wheat grass, good tolerance and will grow under fairly wet conditions. Slender wheat grass is quite tolerant. Sweet clover has good tolerance. Alfalfa has a good tolerance after it is established. Fescue and crested wheat grass show a moderate tolerance. Red Canary grass, alsike and red clover show only a slight tolerance. Red top and timothy are not tolerant.

Beets and mangels are the most tolerant to saline conditions of the garden plants. Potatoes show moderate tolerance and corn a slight tolerance. Saline areas should be avoided when selecting the garden

site. Small fruits, tree fruits and most of the ornamental shrubs have a low tolerance and cannot be grown where there is an indication of salinity.

Home Economist's Letter

By Jacqueline Donaldson
Home Economist, Claresholm

"MIX MAGIC"

Prepared mixes have become a popular part of modern life for every homemaker — we don't think the products they turn out are quite on a par with Mother's homemade goodies but for the busy homemaker they are wonderful helpmates.

If you find you have to count your minutes and your movements pretty closely then I'm sure you're a "mix" fan. Here are some new ideas for using mixes that you might find provide interesting variety.

WHITE CAKE MIX

Snowballs — pour batter from white cake mix into well greased custard cups (¾ full) and tie waxed paper over the tops or cover with aluminum foil. Steam about 30 minutes and serve with clear red sauce made with cherry or raspberry juice.

Lemon Surprise — make a lemon filling. Spread it on the bottom of an oblong pan; pour white cake mix batter over the top. Bake

YELLOW CAKE MIX

Jelly Ribbon Cake — Colorful ribbon effect is achieved by splitting yellow cake layers in half and using jam or jelly as the filling.

Sifted confectioners sugar adds the final touch.

Pineapple Upside-Down Cake — Make individual upside down cakes by pouring the batter into muffin pans with the butter, brown sugar and fruit in the bottom of each. Use the pineapple juice as liquid when making the cake.

GINGERBREAD MIX

Peanut Ginger Drops — With a package of gingerbread mix, ½ cup lukewarm water and 1 cup chopped peanuts you get thirty dozen little nuggets for the cookie jar.

Gingerbread Fruit Bars — Add gradually ¾ cup lukewarm water of a package of gingerbread mix, mixing until batter is smooth. Stir in 1 cup chopped nuts and 1 cup chopped dates. Bake and ice with a thin white butter icing.

SPICE CAKE MIX

Boston Peach Pie — Spread a thin filling of vanilla pudding between two layers and on top of

baked spice cake. Decorate with slices of canned peaches — it's a delicious dessert.

Goodies for the Cookie Jar — You can fill the jar in less than half an hour with a package of any cake mix. Just take your choice — white, yellow chocolate or spice. Add ½ cup shortening, an egg, and a tablespoon of water, and stir. Add your choice of nuts, chocolate chips, coconut, candied fruit, dates or raisins.

These are just a few of the many interesting variations available from your cake mix — so when you're in a hurry but want something extra special give one of them a try.

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Theme: "Priests Unto God"

EVENING SERVICE AT MILO, 7:30 P.M.

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The Church of the Open Door

District News

ENSIGN

Mrs. Howard Markert has returned home from the local hospital.

A meeting was held in the Ensign Hall on Tuesday Feb. 1st, to organize a F.U.A. local. Officers elected were R. McEadden, president; B. Larsen as vice-president; and D. Paton as Secretary-Treasurer. Guest speakers were Mr. Dewick of High River; Mrs. Smith and Mr. Richardson of Berrywater.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hansen of Calgary were visitors in the district last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hunter and Janice attended the Ice Cycles in Calgary last week.

The February meeting of the Ensign Ladies Community Club was held Feb. 2 with 17 members present. Roll call was Fish Pond articles. Business was carried on as usual. The surprise box was donated by Mrs. Kennedy and won by Mrs. Turley. A lovely lunch was served by Mrs. Mote and Mrs. McIntyre.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Penstock attended a wedding in Calgary last Thursday.

Several of the Ensign parents and friends attended a Bowline and Guide, meeting that was held in Bratz Thursday evening. An enjoyable evening was spent and a lovely lunch was served by the Guides.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Mote and Earl motored to Calgary on Saturday to meet Helen. While there they attended the Ice Cycles.

The monthly card party was held in the Hall on Friday evening Feb. 4th. Door prize was won by Mrs. Turley.

Mrs. Prentice of Milo, is spending

the week at the home of her daughter Mrs. Jack Hunter.

The local curlers of the district took part in a bonspiel held Saturday and Sunday. The winners of the first event was the Larsen rink, consisting of Bert Larsen skip; Howard Markert third, Irene Larsen second and Ernest Reid as lead. The second event was won by the Markert rink, consisting of R. Markert skip, Gordon Kennedy third, Alex Hagen second, and V. Hagen lead.

Mrs. Howard Markert is visiting at the home of her parents in Calgary for a few days.

Mrs. Mary Ruark has gone to spend some time in Calgary at the home, home of her niece, the former Irene Jackson, who will resume duties at the Holy Cross Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wells and Yvonne of Calgary were visitors in the district on Monday.

Visitors at the R. Markert home on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. O. Herman and family of Lomond, Mrs. Hendrickson and son Stanley of Armada.

EASTWAY

Mrs. and Mrs. Joe Suitor were Valley visitors Wednesday to visit the former's brother Archie, who is in hospital now. They visited in the evening with his wife Mrs. Jennie Suitor.

Calgary visitors last week were Mr. and Mrs. H. Tharle, Mrs. N. Johnson, Harold and Seiver, and Mr. and Mrs. F. Wyatt.

Those attending the Ice Cycles in Calgary last weekend included Tom Payne, Mel and Lena Burgess, George and Mabel Gooch, Gladys and Vic Rushfeldt, and Della and Orlo Dorn.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Tharle were visitors last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Haggeman of De Winton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Hill and family were Granum visitors on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Fath and baby were Sunday visitors with Mr. & Mrs. George Ellis of Champion.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. N. Johnson were Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh and Mrs. Larson of Carbon. Mrs. Larson remained to visit this week with Mrs. Johnson.

A group of eight ladies met at the home of Mrs. Della Doane last Thursday afternoon and decided a "500" card party would be held at Union Jack Community Centre next Friday evening commencing at 8:15 sharp, with everybody welcome. A lovely lunch was served by the hostess.

Vic Rushfeldt accompanied by A. Mainland visited for a few days this week at Midale, Sask. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mainland.

Mr. W. Durston of Calgary is at present visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. Campbell, while Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Campbell are in the East.

A large number of people from this district attended the grand opening of the new Arrowwood Community Hall and report a good time.

Sunday School was quite well attended at the Union Jack Community Centre last Sunday. Sunday school will be held every Sunday at 11 a.m. except when there is Church Service, and it will then be held at the church hour. There are classes for all children up to 15 years. Lantern slides will be shown this Sunday.

BERRYWATER

Nick Huculak and Stewart Douglass were Saturday business visitors to Calgary.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sharp were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Keimele of Milo.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Smith and family attended the Ice Cycles in Calgary on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Douglass of High River were Sunday visitors at the D. B. Smith home.

Stan Wickstrom and Russell Smith were Tuesday business visitors to Calgary.

Miss Anne Oldfield of Calgary spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Oldfield.

Mrs. Les Richardson spent a few days in Calgary last week.

Friends of Mrs. Lloyd Richardson will be pleased to know she has returned home from a few days in the local hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jones attended a birthday party in honor of Jack Doyle, on the occasion of his 75th birthday, on Friday, Feb. 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sheepy of Calgary are district visitors this week, at the Lloyd Richardson home.

Mrs. Bill Sharp entertained at a card party sponsored by the F.W.U.A. at her home Wednesday evening. There were nine tables of "500" played with prizes going to Mrs. Lee Richardson for ladies' high; ladies' low to Mrs. Roz Stein; men's high to Victor Fulton and men's low to Ralph Richardson. Lunch was served.

Mrs. Sandy Henry, Mrs. Ted

Keimele and Mrs. Gilbert Voogs attended the Leadership Workshop course in Vulcan Monday and were dinner guests of Mrs. Bill Sharp enroute to their home.

Those who attended the Leadership Workshop at Vulcan, Monday from the district were: FUA president Les Richardson; secretary, Percy Haslam and Leonard Jones. From the FWUA were: president, Mrs. Heather Gerding; vice-president, Mrs. Marjorie Love; assistant secretary, Mrs. Loran Gording and provincial vice-president, Mrs. Olive Douglass.

YOUNG BRITONS OFF ON POLAR RESEARCH

Twelve young men sailed from London recently aboard the 600-ton diesel engine vessel "Norse". They are joining a British survey team in the Falkland Island Dependencies, 1,000 miles south of the Falkland Isles. The men will live in double-walled wooden huts in temperatures down to 80 degrees of frost and below, and will live cut in all weathers recording information of rocks, weather, earth's magnetism and solar radiation.

The identity of the early artists who made the carvings in Alberta's Writing-on-Stone Park is unknown.

DANCE

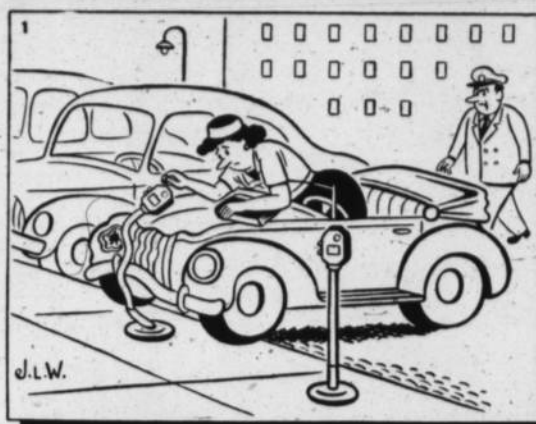


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7. Sunbeam Electric Frying Pan	Blackout
8. Woolen Blanket	Standard
9. Stand Ash Tray	Standard
10. Adjustable Ironing Board	Standard
11. Electric Mantel Clock Ornament	X
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52 Holsteins

10 head of Holstein cows, 4 to 6 years old, including 2 Registered cows rising 5 years old; 11 head of Holstein heifers, springing heavy; 12 open heifers, 6 months to 1 year old; 17 young heifer calves, 1 to 4 weeks; 2 young bulls, 7 and 14 months.

33 Guernseys

15 head of Guernsey cows and heifers from 2 1/2 to 5 years old; 8 head of open heifers rising 1 year; 10 young heifer calves, 1 to 4 weeks.

14 Jerseys

12 head of Jersey cows and heifer; from 2 to 8 years old; 2 young Jersey heifer calves.

16 Holstein-Jersey Cross

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Mrs. Latiff is in Stavelly to be with her mother, Mrs. Bouyzan, who is quite ill.

A quiet wedding took place in Lethbridge on Saturday, January 29th when Mrs. Laura Trebor exchanged vows with Gordon Palmer.

Kenneth Hartung, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hartung, underwent a tonsilectomy in the Vulcan Hospital on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Margaret Sanderson, who has been visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fuggles in Ponoka for some time has returned to Champion and is at the present time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emily Fraser.

Martin Brett of Calgary was a visitor in town last week. Jimmy Hopkins, who has been working in the Cochrane district, has returned to his home.

At a quiet evening ceremony on Tuesday, February 1st, Mrs. Dew-illa Hummel exchanged marriage vows with James Anderson in the Rectory of St. Mary's in Calgary. Father Ritter officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson spent the week end in Champion visiting with relatives and will leave for the west coast on Tuesday to visit with relatives of Mr. Anderson.

Harry E. Smith was a Lethbridge visitor on Monday of this week.

Janice Buchan of Claresholm spent the week end at her home.

Mrs. R. (Barney) Barnes, who has been a patient in the Carman Hospital for some time, returned to her home last week.

Independent Order of the Daughters of the Empire

The February meeting of the I. O. D. E. was held at the home of Mrs. R. S. Stewart on Tuesday evening, Feb. 1st with fourteen members present. Mrs. Frank Little read the Empire and World Affairs report, entitled "Royal Governor." Annual reports were read and the following is the work done during the past year: The I.O.D.E. conducted the Cancer Drive and collected \$608.10 for this fund; Scholarships in the amount of \$100.00 were donated to the High School to be presented to the highest matriculation students; Three parcels of clothing, which included articles made by the members and comfort bags containing tooth paste and other such articles were sent to the Relief of Home and Abroad; Two quilts were made and sent to Korea; A bake sale, sale of popcorn at the weekly show and the Christmas Hamper were part of the year's work. A donation was made to the Champion Library Association; The Chapter attended Remembrance Day Services and took part in the ritual. Average attendance for ten meetings was fourteen.

The next meeting will be held at

Rev and Mrs. Wm. Magill

Missionaries to Nigeria, under the Sudan Interior Mission, will be at CHAMPION

Sunday, Feb. 13

in the morning

and at

CARMANGAY

in the evening at 7 p.m.

in the

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Slides will be shown in the evening.

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VILLAGE OF CHAMPION**Notice of Intention**

This is to notify the Ratepayers of the Village of Champion the Council of the Village of Champion proposes to make application to the Provincial Treasurer for a loan of \$37,500.00, or for as much as is needed to install a sewerage and disposal system within the Village limits, this loan to be repaid by way of special assessment. This application will be made unless a petition against such application is received in this office within two weeks after the last publication of this notice.

OLIVE HOWERTON,
Secretary-Treasurer. 26-2c**CHAMPION THEATRE**

Saturday, Feb. 12th

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GERALDINE PAGE

WARD BOND

MICHAEL PATE

JAMES ARNESS

"John Wayne — they called him Hondo."

Note: Show starts at 8 p.m.

ATTENTION

Champion and District Residents

THE

ANNUAL MEETING of the Champion Community Hall Society will be held

SATURDAY, FEB. 12 at 2 p.m. in the hall

Your attendance is URGENTLY requested

H. E. Smith,
President**CLEVERVILLE PIONEER CLUB**

ANNUAL

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CHAMPION Community Hall

Fri., Feb. 11

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**With The
District Agriculturist
Hugh Michael****Crown Depth Important to Wheat**

It has recently been found that wheat varieties differ somewhat in crown depth. For instance Thatcher usually forms crowns deeper in the soil than most varieties. The crown is an important part of the wheat plant, as it is from here that the secondary system of roots grow out five or six weeks after planting, and from which stools or tillers branch out from the main stem. A variety with a deep crown is less subject to injury by spring frosts. Regent, Rescue and Reward are varieties having shallow crowns. Even if leaves are completely frozen and dry up, the crown will send forth new leaves if it is uninjured. Varieties with deep crowns are less likely to be injured by soil drifting, and have a better chance to survive in drift-fields. It has been found that the more drought resistant varieties such as Thatcher, Canus, and Reliance, all have deeply placed crowns. The less drought resistant varieties have shallow crowns. As yet a definite relationship between drought resistant and crown depth has not been established scientifically, but there is considerable circumstantial evidence available which tends to link these to factors together. It is thought that the deeper crowns escape high soil temperatures prevalent during periods of drought.

Crown depth is influenced by variety differences, depth of seeding, soil temperatures and light. Low soil temperatures during late April and early May are especially favorable to deep crown formation in wheat. Dull, cloudy weather when the crop emerges tends to bring crowns up near the soil surface, while bright sunny weather results in deeper crown formation.

It is also expected that root rot diseases may be less injurious to varieties with deeply formed crowns.

One may be isolated yet not lonely if one finds in simple things ample consolation for the mere absence of people.

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OPEN NEXT WEEK Wheat Centre Motors

All Gasoline Pumps in Vulcan will close at 6:15 p.m. on week-days, except Saturdays, and will remain closed on Wednesday afternoons, Sundays and holidays, with the exception of the service station named above, which will remain open until 8:00 p.m. every day for one week and will be open from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. on Sunday and holidays, commencing

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MEN'S AND BOYS' WEAR

District News

MILO

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Dishaw and Mr. and Mrs. Vic Bertrand have left by motor for a month's holiday in California. Betty Dishaw is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carson during her parents' absence.

Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ivers the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Nell McKernan and children of Edmonton.

Mrs. Belle Armstrong has left for a month's holiday with her daughter Mrs. W. Ogilvey and family in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Phillips spent Friday in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jones have moved into their new home formerly the residence of Mrs. Meta Boeckh.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hughes and children of Calgary spent the earlier part of last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hughes.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Klemme on the birth of a daughter and congratulations also to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marks on the birth of a daughter, both at the Vulcan hospital.

Mrs. Anne Smith of Vancouver has been visiting her son Lawrence and family.

Both the boys and girls lost their basketball games to Carmangay last Thursday.

Our young team of hockey players are still fighting hard to win their first game. Milo Seniors won their hockey game on Thursday evening from Champion by a score of 7-3.

Aubrey Gore's rink curled for the Southern district brier play-downs in Medicine Hat last week. They lost, but there will be another year to try again. However, they did let them all know Milo was there curling to the end. On Gore's team are Hap Heather, David Deltz, and Ian Thomson. Mr. Joe Thomson Sr. accompanied the curlers to Medicine Hat. Several fans travelled to the eastern city to watch this rink. Those who went were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ivers, Mr. and Mrs. Con Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Snooky Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Les Robertson, and David and Mr. Deltz. Congratulations to

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the boys on their wonderful effort.

Two teams of high school students travelled to Brant Saturday for their Students' Union Bonspiel. The McCord rink brought home the Brant challenge cup. Personnel on this rink were Bob McCord, Jimmie Peterson, Rochelle Dshar-nis and Eva Jacobson. The James Will rink won second in the 2nd Event. Congratulations students!

The United Church Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. Margaret Umschied on Thursday, Feb. 4. Due to so many sick in the community the attendance was small. Mrs. Billy Sukut was in the chair in the absence of Mrs. Ione Umschied. Several articles were turned in for the annual bazaar, and the others were fined their customary fee. Plans for any extensive activity were left to the next meeting. At the conclusion of the meeting a lovely lunch was served by the hostess and assisting her was Mrs. Aubrey Gore.

MOSSLEIGH

The district has been hit with mumps, measles, and chicken pox, therefore all activities are practically at a stand-still.

Congratulations go to Mr. and Mrs. Loring Pehl on the birth of a son. Congratulations also to Grandpa and Grandma Brown on their first grandchild.

Sorry to hear that Mrs. G. Hoin has been sick in the hospital. Hope to see her around soon.

Eva Elliott with Bessie Leslie, Louise Barr and Lily Hurl, entered their rink in the Gleichen Ladies' Bonspiel and brought home 2nd prize in the First Event and 1st prize in the Second Event. Good going girls.

FARROW

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Leacock, who are renting Mrs. Mildred Anderson's farm, arrived last Saturday from James River. Mr. Leacock is a former resident of the Blackie district, having left here in around 1927. Welcome to the district, Mr. and Mrs. Leacock.

Many of the local youngsters are now victims of either mumps or measles. Those with mumps are David Wark, Charlene, Leona and Barbie and Patsy Meadows. Those with mumps are Lloyd Peterson, Brian Addeman, Barry Thurber and Judy Thurber. From what we hear, those who have the mumps aren't too sick, while those with measles are usually quite sick. Mr. and Mrs. Milt Brunskill returned from eastern Canada last weekend in their new truck. They say they had icy roads and cold weather nearly all the way home. Mrs. Gus Brownell is down in Great Falls for a short stay.

The last card party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herb McWilliam. Winners of men's high was Bill Groeneveld; ladies' high Mrs. Muriel Meadows; men's low, Ted Percival and ladies' low, Mrs. Wilma Groeneveld. Everyone had a good time including our newest "couple."

ARROWWOOD

Miss Aileen Beaubier and Miss Elspeth Ross and Miss Muriel De Wit were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark De Wit.

Mrs. M. Mackie is visiting for a few weeks at the A. Phillips home. Mr. and Mrs. F. Wyatt and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Board.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Cory and Mr. and Mrs. Viners of Calgary were Friday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Burger.

Mr. and Mrs. Setters and family of Eckville were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Setters.

The play "I Like It Here" put on by the Rocky Mountain Theatre Group in conjunction with the Arrowwood Hall Board proved very successful. The play was a 3-act comedy directed by Dean Goodman with a professional cast of players.

Mrs. Romfo of Calgary was a weekend visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Strong and son were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Ekeland.

Miss Maruina Beagle left on Tuesday to enter the Holy Cross Hospital School of Nursing. We wish her the best of luck in her new career.

ARROWWOOD HALL OFFICIALLY OPENED

The new community hall at Arrowwood was officially opened on Feb. 4th with a program and dance. Master of ceremonies for the evening program was Bill Steiner and the dedication and welcome was given by R. E. Hill. Following this a 2-hour program took place, which was very good. A dance then followed with music supplied by Winters' Orchestra and floor manager was Walter Blakie. At midnight lunch was served in the basement of the hall. A door prize of a TV set was won by Joe Leslie of Mossleigh and novelty

dance prizes went to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson of Vulcan and Mrs. Betsy Brown and Len Salkeld. Two pigs were also drawn for and winners were Chris Reed of Shoultice and H. Messinger of Arrowwood. Approximately \$1,100.00 was realized from the whole night with people coming from distant points: Brooks, Lethbridge, Calgary, Edmonton and Sylvan Lake. The Hall Board wishes to thank all who helped make the evening such a success. Also the ladies who served lunch wish to thank any who helped, especially the High School boys.

Some Factors Which Affect Grain Yields

Is Western Canada now capable, under given moisture conditions, of producing more wheat per acre than was possible, under the same moisture conditions say, twenty years ago? This is a question that is being posed today, as average wheat yields for the past 15 years are compared with those for an earlier period.

The Province of Manitoba, for instance, has produced an average of about 5 1/2 bushels more wheat per acre during the 1939-1954 period than it did during the 1921-1938 period. Similarly, average wheat yields for Saskatchewan and Alberta, respectively, were about 3.4 bushels and 2.3 bushels higher during recent years.

Authorities agree that not all this increase in yield is due to the better moisture conditions. Improved methods of cultivation, the greater use of mechanization, the chemical control of weeds, the more widespread use of fertilizers and the development and use of better varieties have, in fact, all played a part in the higher returns that have been experienced of recent years.

Some of these factors would undoubtedly be nullified, or largely so, should extreme drought conditions prevail again, but under normal moisture conditions, they have made a definite contribution toward raising the general yield level. That is one of the reasons why, despite the depletion in soil fertility, which is going on gradually all the time, Western Canada's wheat fields are giving a somewhat better account of themselves and will probably continue to do so in the years ahead.

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NOTICE

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1955

County of Vulcan No. 2

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of the said County, made under the provisions of the Assessment Act, has been prepared and will for thirty days be open to inspection at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer of the County during business hours on every day not a public holiday, and that any person who desires to object to the entry of his name or that of any other person upon the said roll, or to the assessment of any property, or to the assessed value placed upon any property must within thirty days from the date of this notice lodge his complaint in writing with the Secretary-Treasurer of the County.

Dated at Vulcan, this 10th day of February 1955

(This date must be the date of posting the notice)

D. D. McQUEEN,

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(NOTE: This Notice to be posted where General Assessment made)

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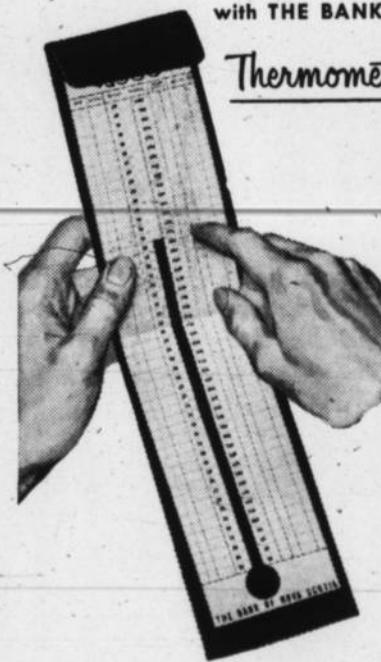
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Latest News Reel

Brief Items of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Robinson, Cleo, Marjorie and Murray of Calgary spent the weekend renewing a number of acquaintances in Vulcan and district.

Friends of Lowell Granlin will regret to learn he is a patient in the local hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter and Helen accompanied by Vera Clark motored to Claresholm and Fort MacLeod on Sunday.

Mrs. Harold Fox and children are spending a holiday with relatives in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Brinker and family attended the Ice Cycles in Calgary at the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Shrigley spent Sunday with relatives at Lomond.

Mrs. Dave McAfee left Tuesday to attend the funeral at Edmonton of her sister-in-law Mrs. Hugh McAfee, who passed away on Monday.

Little Marion Myers, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Myers, who underwent an appendectomy at the local hospital recently, is now well on the road to recovery.

R. J. Buehler was a Calgary business visitor the first of the week.

Friends of Mrs. John Hanna will be sorry to learn she is a patient in the Vulcan hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fitzpatrick spent the weekend in Calgary, where they observed their 35th wedding anniversary, with a family gathering. Congratulations!

Mrs. E. G. Hansell was an Edmonton visitor over the weekend, where she spent a few days with her daughter, Betty.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Lloyd and Donna, of Lethbridge spent Wednesday in town and district, renewing several acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Woodward of Calgary are spending the week with their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Merv. McIntyre.

Earl McDonald of the local Bank of Commerce staff left at the weekend to visit with his parents, at Camp Borden, Ont.

Dave Neville spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. A. Moore at Lethbridge.

Mrs. Stebbins accompanied by Miss Irene Hiltz, both of the teaching staff of the Vulcan schools, motored to Edmonton for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dingwall and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dingwall were recent Lethbridge visitors.

Mrs. O. B. Roe attended funeral rites for the late Eleanor Crockett in Calgary on Saturday.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Neil Giles on the birth of a son, Friday, Feb. 4, at the Vulcan hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Soder were Lethbridge visitors last week.

Bob Wilson and Jim White spent Saturday in Calgary.

Fred Nolte motored to Calgary Friday and was accompanied by his daughter, Madeline, who attends school in the city.

Mrs. Harry Smith and Mrs. Merle Smith accompanied by little Rae Campbell, spent Thursday at Lethbridge.

Hank Rutberg and daughter, Ellen, were recent Calgary visitors.

A number of Vulcan and district residents attended the Ice Cycles at Calgary during the past week.

Mrs. Howard Marshman is confined to the local hospital and best wishes are extended to her.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pickard of Calgary spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Smith. On Sunday evening Mrs. Smith motored to Calgary accompanied by her guests.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Lungren were Thursday visitors to Lethbridge.

The many friends of Mrs. Pete Schuler will regret to know she went to Calgary recently to undergo medical examination.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bell spent Sunday at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Bell at Nanton.

Word has been received here of the illness in Calgary of John Corch. He is a patient in the Holy Cross hospital, and is making a good recovery following an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hamilton were Tuesday guests at the Roy Fulton home enroute to their home in Calgary, from Lethbridge where they spent the weekend.

Mrs. H. Dean Rolston of Raymond was a recent Vulcan visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gottenberg, at the time the latter was in hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O'Reilly and son, Brian are spending a few days in Calgary.

Maxine Ritland is now spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lew Ritland, after completing her three years' training in the Holy Cross hospital. She will return to the Holy Cross hospital next week to take up new duties as an operating room nurse.

A Founder's Day program, will be presented at the Home & School meeting to be held at the high school Tuesday, Feb. 15, at 8 p.m.

Miss Elinor Hyslop, who has been nursing in the General Hospital, Calgary, the past four years, has now accepted a position with Dr. D. R. Buchanan, Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones and Mrs. Lawrence Orchard were Lethbridge visitors one day last week.

The regular meeting of the Vulcan Local of the FUA will be held in the Legion Rotunda on Monday Feb. 14 at 8 p.m.

Harris Matlock's rink, playing the Macdonald Brier playdowns at Medicine Hat last week, lost out to the Hugh Brown rink of Claresholm in two games. The Brown rink went on to win the Southern Alberta title, defeating Aubrey Gore of Milo in a close final game.

U.K. BUILDS NEARLY 2,000,000 HOUSES SINCE WAR

The U. K. Minister of Housing and Local Government said in Birmingham last week that almost 2 million permanent houses have been built in Britain since the war, enabling 6 million people to be rehoused. He said that an average of one out of eight persons was now living in a post-war house, and that accommodation had been found for a large proportion of the hardest cases.

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